



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/798,242  
Filing Date: March 11, 2004  
Applicant: Alain Lecuyer  
Group Art Unit: 3761  
Examiner: Jacqueline F. Stephens  
Title: IMPLANTABLE VALVE FOR THE TREATMENT OF  
HYDROCEPHALUS  
Attorney Docket: 4384-000013

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2007, please consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

**Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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